



SIGURD ANDERSON
GOVERNOR

PIERRE

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the continuing loss of life and property in South Dakota, and throughout the nation constitutes a direct challenge to every citizen; and

WHEREAS, many lives are lost and great property damage suffered by South Dakotans through fire; and

WHEREAS, preventable fires may destroy natural resources and private property which cannot be replaced during the present emergency; and

WHEREAS, fire prevention and cleaning of yards, basements, and storage places are synonymous;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Sigurd Anderson, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the week of April 20-25, 1953, as

CLEAN-UP TIME

in South Dakota, and do request that each of our citizens take an active part in the removal of all fire hazards in our homes, stores, public buildings and fields, and urge that each of you assist in guarding our natural resources against destruction by fire, and that all civic bodies join together in the elimination of fire hazards.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have
hereunto set my hand and
caused the Great Seal of
the State of South Dakota
to be affixed this 18th
day of April, 1953.

Sigurd Anderson
Governor

ATTEST:

Carpelene Ostroff . . .
Secretary of State

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